

SUPPORT FOR LITERATURE

The National Endowment for the Arts celebrates literature as an essential reflection of our nation's rich diversity of voices by:

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ENGAGING OUR PUBLIC

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PROGRAMS

Initiatives reach citizens in every state, DC, Puerto Rico, and U.S. Virgin Islands.

PROGRAMS INCLUDE:

NEA BIG READ, A COMMUNITY READING INITIATIVE



Broadens world views and community engagement



Inspires conversation, connection, and discovery

Communities have received:

More than **1,300 GRANTS**

More than **\$18M**

Since **2006**, it has reached:

More than **4.7M** event attendees

79,000 volunteers

37,000 community organizations